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We affirm that:

- 1. We have complied with the Bulletin for the Audits of Local Units of Government in Michigan as revised.
- 2. We are certified public accountants registered to practice in Michigan.

We further affirm the following. "Yes" responses have been disclosed in the financial statements, including the notes, or in the report of comments and recommendations

You must check the applicable box for each item below. 1. Certain component units/funds/agencies of the local unit are excluded from the financial statements. Yes **√** No Yes **√** No 2. There are accumulated deficits in one or more of this unit's unreserved fund balances/retained earnings (P.A. 275 of 1980). 3. There are instances of non-compliance with the Uniform Accounting and Budgeting Act (P.A. 2 of 1968, as Yes **√** No amended). 4. The local unit has violated the conditions of either an order issued under the Municipal Finance Act or its Yes **√** No requirements, or an order issued under the Emergency Municipal Loan Act. 5. The local unit holds deposits/investments which do not comply with statutory requirements. (P.A. 20 of 1943, Yes **√** No as amended [MCL 129.91], or P.A. 55 of 1982, as amended [MCL 38.1132]). 6. The local unit has been delinquent in distributing tax revenues that were collected for another taxing unit. Yes **√** No The local unit has violated the Constitutional requirement (Article 9, Section 24) to fund current year earned Yes 7. pension benefits (normal costs) in the current year. If the plan is more than 100% funded and the overfunding credits are more than the normal cost requirement, no contributions are due (paid during the year). **√** No Yes 8. The local unit uses credit cards and has not adopted an applicable policy as required by P.A. 266 of 1995 (MCL 129.241). Yes 9. The local unit has not adopted an investment policy as required by P.A. 196 of 1997 (MCL 129.95).

We have enclosed the following:	Enclosed	To Be Forwarded	Not Required
The letter of comments and recommendations.	✓		
Reports on individual federal financial assistance programs (program audits).			✓
Single Audit Reports (ASLGU).			✓

Certified Public Accountant (Firm Name)			
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# **TYRONE TOWNSHIP**Kent County, Michigan

Comprehensive Annual Financial Report

For the year ended March 31, 2005

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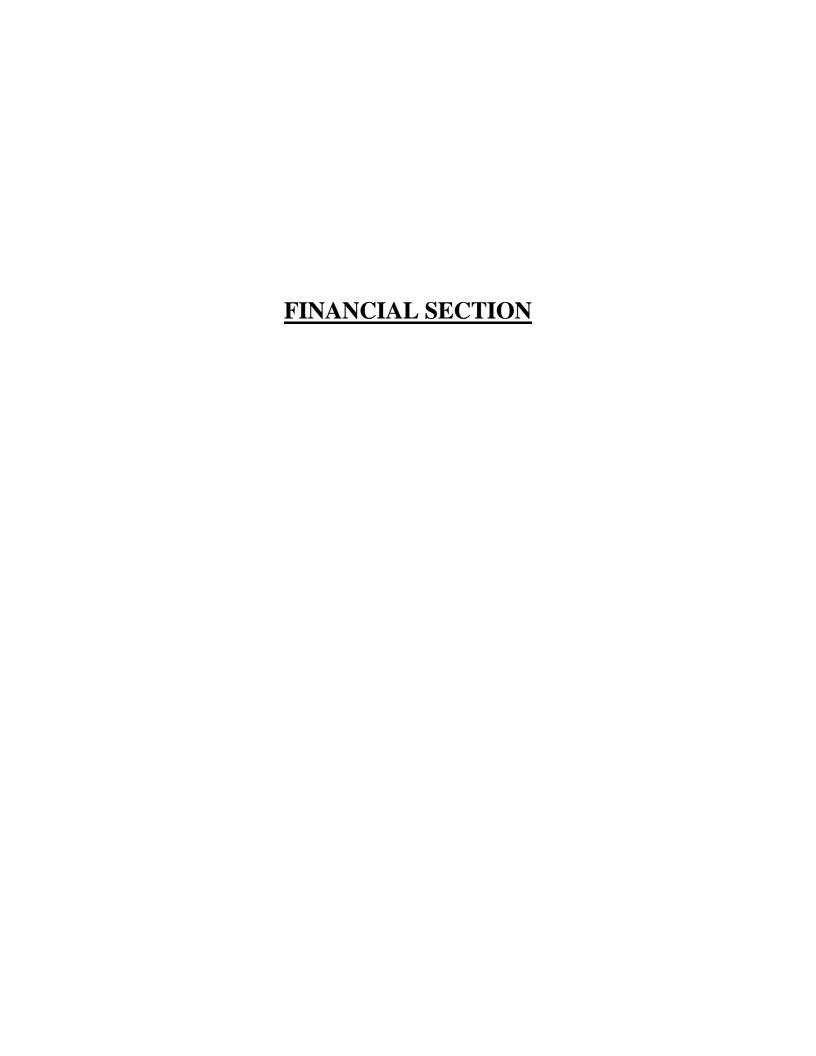
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### **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

July 1, 2005

The Township Board Tyrone Township Kent County, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the major funds and the aggregate remaining fund information of Tyrone Township (the "Township") as of and for the year ended March 31, 2005, which collectively comprise the Township's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the elected officials and management of the Township. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the governmental activities, the major funds and the aggregate remaining fund information of Tyrone Township as of March 31, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As described in Note A, the Township has implemented a new financial reporting model, as required by the provisions of Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments*, as of April 1, 2004.

Management's Discussion and Analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental information as listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements of Tyrone Township. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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Certified Public Accountants

As management of the Tyrone Township ("the Township"), we offer readers of the financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the Township for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2005. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with the Township's financial statements, which immediately follow this section.

### **Financial Highlights**

- The Township's net assets increased by \$58,716 (or 5.4 percent).
- Total expenses of the Township's programs were \$506,720.
- Total revenues, including all program and general revenues, were \$565,436.
- At the close of the current year, the Township's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$488,103, a decrease of \$72,303 from the prior year.
- At the end of the current year, the unreserved/undesignated fund balance for the General Fund was \$401,418, or 80 percent of total General Fund expenditures.

#### **Overview of the Financial Statements**

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Township's basic financial statements. The Township's basic financial statements comprise three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, 3) notes to basic financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

**Government-wide financial statements.** The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Township's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The Statement of Net Assets presents information on all of the Township's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as *net assets*. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the Township is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the Township's net assets changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net assets are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future periods (e.g. uncollected property taxes and earned but uncollected sewer usage fees and special assessments).

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the Township that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the Township include general government, public safety, roads and parks. The Township has no business-type activities.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 10-11 of this report.

**Fund financial statements.** A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The Township, like other local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

All of the funds of the Township can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds.

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The Township maintains two individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental funds balance sheet and statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances for the General Fund and Fire Fund, each of which are considered to be major funds. The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 12-17 of this report.

The Township adopts an annual appropriated budget for its General Fund. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the General Fund to demonstrate compliance with this budget.

**Fiduciary funds** provide information about the financial relationships in which the Township acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of others. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of these funds are not available to support the Township's own programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is like that used for proprietary funds.

**Notes to basic financial statements** provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to basic financial statements can be found on pages 20-27 of this report.

### **Government - Wide Financial Analysis**

As noted earlier, net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of Tyrone Township, assets exceeded liabilities by \$1,144,788 at the close of the fiscal year.

A substantial portion of the Township's net assets, \$656,685 (57 percent), reflects its investment in capital assets (e.g. land, buildings, equipment), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. The Township uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the Township's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

The Statement of Net Assets provides financial information on the Township as a whole as of March 31, 2005.

	Governmental Activities
Assets	
Current assets	\$ 488,103
Capital assets	656,685
<b>Total Assets</b>	1,144,788
Liabilities	_
Net Assets	
Invested in capital assets	656,685
Unrestricted	488,103
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	\$ 1,144,788

The Statement of Activities presents changes in net assets from operating results for the year ended March 31, 2005:

Program Revenues Charges for services Capital grants General Revenues Property taxes State/intergovernmental revenue Interest earnings	\$ 66,346 28,000 217,311 214,808 11,116 27,855
Capital grants  General Revenues  Property taxes  State/intergovernmental revenue	28,000 217,311 214,808 11,116
General Revenues Property taxes State/intergovernmental revenue	217,311 214,808 11,116
Property taxes State/intergovernmental revenue	214,808 11,116
State/intergovernmental revenue	214,808 11,116
	11,116
Interest earnings	
111010101000	27,855
Other	
Total Revenues	565,436
Expenses	
General government	203,133
Public safety	149,662
Public works	117,794
Recreational and cultural	5,247
Other township	30,608
Interest on long-term debt	276
Total Expenses	506,720
Increase in net assets	58,716
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	1,086,072
Net Assets - End of Year	\$ 1,144,788

**Governmental activities** increased the Township's net assets by \$58,716. Key elements of this increase are as follows:

- Property taxes increased by \$8,083 (4.4 percent). This increase is a product of new construction in the Township and increased valuations on existing properties.
- Governmental funds' expenditures for 2004-05 increased only \$55,207 (8.7 percent) compared to 2003-04 amounts due to the planning of the Township Board.

### Financial Analysis of the Township's Funds

As noted earlier, the Township uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

**Governmental funds.** The focus of the Township's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Township's financing requirements. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

As of the end of the current fiscal year, the Township's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$488,103, a decrease of \$72,303 in comparison with the prior year. 100 percent of this total amount constitutes unreserved fund balance, which is available for spending at the Township's discretion.

Tyrone Township's funds are described as follows:

#### Major Funds

The *General Fund* is our primary operating fund. The General Fund had total revenues of \$424,958 and total expenditures of \$503,179. Expenditures include \$79,908 for land and equipment. It ended the year with a fund balance of \$401,418, down from \$471,639 at March 31, 2004.

The *Fire Fund* levies property taxes for fire protection services. The Fund had total revenues of \$132,478 and total expenditures of \$134,560. Expenditures include \$63,536 for new vehicles and equipment. It ended the year with a fund balance of \$86,685, down from \$88,767 at March 31, 2004.

### **General Fund Budgetary Highlights**

Over the course of the year, the Township revised the annual operating budget once to comply with Michigan Department of Treasury guidelines. The budget amendment was made to reflect changes in revenues and expenditures as they occurred during the year, including reduced state shared revenues as the State of Michigan lowered its revenue sharing formula to local governmental units.

#### **Capital Asset and Debt Administration**

### Capital Assets

At March 31, 2005, the Township had a \$910,835 investment in a broad range of capital assets, including land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, and furniture and equipment. (More detailed information about capital assets can be found in the notes to basic financial statements.)

Capital asset purchases totaled \$121,135 for the fiscal year with accumulated depreciation increasing \$23,037. The net book value of capital assets at March 31, 2005 is detailed as follows:

	Governmental Activities
Land	\$ 131,557
Land improvements	3,250
Buildings and improvements	378,112
Furniture and equipment	67,613
Vehicles	76,153
Net Capital Assets	\$ 656,685

### Long-Term Debt

The Township was indebted in the amount of \$32,941 for the Township Hall purchase loan at the beginning of the fiscal year. This amount was paid in full during the current fiscal year. The Township has no remaining long-term debt outstanding at March 31, 2005.

### **Factors Bearing on the Township's Future**

At the time these financial statements were prepared and audited, the Township was aware of the following existing circumstances that could significantly affect its financial health in the future:

• The Township's initial General and Fire Special Revenue Fund budgets for 2005-06 anticipate a reduction in year end fund balances of \$153,000. This estimate reflects property tax growth within the Township, continuing reductions in state shared revenues increased road improvement expenditures along with a continuing effort to control/reduce costs within the Township, while continuing to maintain a high quality of taxpayer service.

### **Contacting the Township's Financial Management**

This financial report is designed to provide the Township's citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the Township's finances and to demonstrate the Township's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Shelley Worley, Township Clerk, Tyrone Township, 28 East Muskegon, PO Box 275, Kent City, MI, 49330-0275.

### **BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

### TYRONE TOWNSHIP Statement of Net Assets March 31, 2005

Assets	 vernmental activities
Current Assets	
Cash equivalents (Note B)	\$ 3,236
Deposits (Note B)	68,452
Investments (Note B)	367,874
Receivables:	
Taxes (Note C)	15,031
Accounts	960
Due from other governmental units (Note F)	32,550
Total Current Assets	 488,103
Noncurrent Assets Capital assets (Note E) Less accumulated depreciation	 910,835 (254,150)
<b>Total Noncurrent Assets</b>	 656,685
Total Assets	 1,144,788
Liabilities	-
Net Assets	
Invested in capital assets	656,685
Unrestricted	 488,103
Total Net Assets	\$ 1,144,788

# TYRONE TOWNSHIP Statement of Activities For the year ended March 31, 2005

Functions/Programs	E	xpenses		Program harges Services	(	enues Capital Grants	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes In Net Assets
Primary Government Governmental activities: General government Public safety Public works Recreational and cultural Other township Interest on long-term debt	\$	203,133 149,662 117,794 5,247 30,608 276	\$	22,798 43,548 - - -	\$	8,000 20,000 - - - -	\$ (172,335) (86,114) (117,794) (5,247) (30,608) (276)
<b>Total Governmental Activities</b>		506,720		66,346		28,000	(412,374)
	Pr St In	neral revenue roperty taxes General ope Fire fund tate revenue terest earning ther	s levie ration sharir	S			125,432 91,879 214,808 11,116 27,855
	To	otal Genera	l Rev	enues			471,090
	Cha	ange in Net	Asset	s			58,716
	Net	Assets - Bo	eginni	ng of Year			1,086,072
	Net	Assets - En	d of Y	'ear			\$ 1,144,788

### TYRONE TOWNSHIP Balance Sheet Governmental Funds March 31, 2005

Assets	(	General	pecial evenue Fire	 Total
Cash equivalents (Note B) Deposits (Note B) Investments (Note B) Taxes receivable (Note C) Due from other funds (Note D) Due from other governmental units (Note F)	\$	3,175 44,263 309,065 8,512 3,853 32,550	\$ 61 24,189 58,809 6,519	\$ 3,236 68,452 367,874 15,031 3,853 32,550
Total Assets	\$	401,418	\$ 89,578	\$ 490,996
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Liabilities Due to other funds (Note D)	\$		\$ 2,893	\$ 2,893
Fund Balances: Unreserved: Undesignated, reported in: General fund		401,418	_	401,418
Special revenue fund		-	 86,685	 86,685
<b>Total Fund Balances</b>		401,418	 86,685	488,103
<b>Total Liabilities and Fund Balances</b>	\$	401,418	\$ 89,578	\$ 490,996

### Reconciliation of Total Governmental Fund Balances to Net Assets of Governmental Activities March 31, 2005

Total governmental fund balances	\$ 488,103
Amounts reported for governmental activites in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:	
Capital assets used in govenmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported as assets in governmental funds. The cost of assets is \$910,835 and accumulated depreciation is \$254,150.	 656,685
Total net assets - governmental activities	\$ 1.144.788

### Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds For the year ended March 31, 2005

	(	General	Special Levenue Fire	Total
Revenues				
Taxes	\$	125,432	\$ 91,879	\$ 217,311
Licenses and permits		43,195	-	43,195
Federal sources		8,000	20,000	28,000
State sources		214,808	-	214,808
Charges for services		22,798	-	22,798
Fines and forfeitures		73	280	353
Interest and rentals		10,259	857	11,116
Other revenue		8,393	19,462	27,855
<b>Total Revenues</b>		432,958	132,478	 565,436
Expenditures				
Current:				
Legislative		3,000	-	3,000
General government		256,741	-	256,741
Public safety		56,593	134,560	191,153
Public works		117,794	-	117,794
Recreational and cultural		5,247	-	5,247
Other township		30,608	-	30,608
Debt service:				
Principal repayment		32,941	-	32,941
Interest expense		255		255
Total Expenditures		503,179	134,560	637,739
<b>Net Change in Fund Balances</b>		(70,221)	(2,082)	(72,303)
Fund Balances, April 1		471,639	88,767	 560,406
Fund Balances, March 31	\$	401,418	\$ 86,685	\$ 488,103

# Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities For the year ended March 31, 2005

Net change in fund balances - total governmental	funds		\$ (72,303)
Amounts reported for governmental activites in the S are different because:	tatement of Activities		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expering the Statement of Activities, the cost of these and the cost is allocated over their estimated use tion expense. This is the amount by which capit depreciation in the current period:	ssets is capitalized ful lives as deprecia-	\$ 121,136 (23,037)	98,099
Repayment of long-term liabilities is an expenditu funds, but it reduces long-term liabilities in the S and does not affect the Statement of Activities: Repayment of loan payable			32,941
Total changes in net assets - governments	al activities		\$ 58,737

### **General Fund**

### Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual For the year ended March 31, 2005

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance With Final Budget - Positive
	Original	Final	Actual	(Negative)
Revenues				
Taxes	\$ 134,700	\$ 134,700	\$ 125,432	\$ (9,268)
Licenses and permits	30,075	30,075	43,195	13,120
Federal sources	207.000	207.000	8,000	8,000
State sources	207,000	207,000	214,808	7,808
Charges for services	9,300	9,300	22,798	13,498
Fines and forfeitures	10,500	10,500	73 10,259	73 (241)
Interest and rentals Other revenue	3,900	3,900	8,393	4,493
<b>Total Revenues</b>	395,475	395,475	432,958	37,483
Expenditures				
Current:				
General government:			• • • •	
Township board	3,090	3,090	3,000	90
Supervisor	19,565	19,565	18,959	606
Elections	5,600	5,600	11,119	(5,519)
Assessor	28,880	28,880	28,739	141
Legal and audit	12,000	13,800	12,215	1,585
Clerk	25,455	25,455	23,106	2,349
Board of review	900	900	696	204
General administration	41,800	41,800	38,581	3,219
Treasurer	29,690	29,690	24,799	4,891
Buildings and grounds	25,250	84,150	83,282	868
Cemetery	26,600	26,600	15,245	11,355
Total general government	218,830	279,530	259,741	19,789
Public safety:				
Law enforcement	11,000	11,000	6,631	4,369
Inspections	50,020	50,020	47,155	2,865
Planning	4,800	4,800	2,807	1,993
Total public safety	65,820	65,820	56,593	9,227
Public works:				
Highways, streets and bridges	235,000	174,000	116,702	57,298
Street lighting	1,200	1,200	1,092	108
Total public works	236,200	175,200	117,794	57,406
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Recreational and cultural:				-
Library	4,950	5,250	5,247	3
Other township	34,500	34,500	30,608	3,892
Debt service:				
Principal repayment	35,000	35,000	32,941	2,059
Interest expense	300	300	255	45
1	35,300	35,300	33,196	2,104
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	595,600	595,600	503,179	92,421
<b>Net Change in Fund Balances</b>	(200,125)	(200,125)	(70,221)	129,904
Fund Balances, April 1	471,639	471,639	471,639	-
Fund Balances, March 31	\$ 271,514	\$ 271,514	\$ 401,418	\$ 129,904
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See accompanying notes to basic financial statements.

### TYRONE TOWNSHIP Fire Special Revenue Fund

### Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual For the year ended March 31, 2005

Revenues Taxes Federal sources	\$ Budget 100,700	\$ Actual 91,879 20,000	P	ariance- cositive egative) (8,821) 20,000
Interest and rentals	500	857		357
Fines and forfeitures	500	280		(220)
Other revenue	-	19,462		19,462
<b>Total Revenues</b>	 101,700	 132,478		30,778
Expenditures				
Current:				
Public safety	81,200	 134,560		(53,360)
<b>Net Change in Fund Balances</b>	20,500	(2,082)		(22,582)
Fund Balances, April 1	 88,767	 88,767		
Fund Balances, March 31	\$ 109,267	\$ 86,685	\$	(22,582)

# TYRONE TOWNSHIP Fiduciary Funds Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets March 31, 2005

Assets	Agency Funds	
Cash equivalents (Note B)	\$ 9,2	33
Deposits (Note B) Due from other governmental units	9,0:	1 50
Total Assets	\$ 18,23	84
Liabilities		
Due to other funds (Note D) Due to other governmental units Escrow deposits	\$ 90 14,44 2,83	
Total Liabilities	\$ 18,23	84

### NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### Note A – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Tyrone Township was organized as a general law township under applicable laws of the State of Michigan and is governed by a Board of Trustees which consists of a Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer and two Trustees, each of whom is elected for a four year term of office. The Township provides the following services to its residents as provided by statute: public safety (fire and inspections), highways and streets, cultural, planning and zoning, general administrative and other services.

The financial statements of Tyrone Township (the "Township") have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to Townships. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2005, the Township adopted GASB Statement No. 34, "Basic Financial Statements – Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments." GASB Statement No. 34 requires new basic financial statements for reporting on the Township's financial activities. The effect of this change was to include a management's discussion and analysis (MD&A) section providing an analysis of the Township's overall financial position and results of operation; include government-wide financial statements prepared on the full accrual basis of accounting; and include fund financial statements which present information with a focus on major funds, rather than on fund type.

The more significant of the Township's accounting policies are described below.

### 1. The Reporting Entity

The accompanying financial statements present the Township of Tyrone. The Township has no component units, i.e., entities for which the Township is considered to be financially accountable.

#### 2. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

Government-Wide Financial Statements - The Government-wide financial statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) present financial information about the Township as a whole. The reported information includes all of the nonfiduciary activities of the Township. The Township does not allocate indirect costs and, for the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed. These statements are to distinguish between the *governmental* and *business-type activities* of the Township. *Governmental activities* normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, and are reported separately from *business-type* activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. The Township does not have any business-type activities.

The Statement of Net Assets is presented on the classified basis and is reported on the full accrual, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets as well as all long-term debt and obligations. The Township's net assets are reported in three parts: invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted net assets, and unrestricted net assets.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function are offset by program revenues. *Direct expenses* are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. *Program revenues* include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given function and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property taxes, state revenue sharing, interest earnings and other items not included among program revenues are reported instead as *general revenues*.

<u>Fund Financial Statements</u> - Separate financial statements are provided for governmental and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column.

The Township reports the following major governmental funds:

The *General Fund* is the Township's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government except those that are required to be accounted for in another fund.

The *Fire Special Revenue Fund* accounts for property tax revenues levied to maintain the operations and capital improvements of the Township Fire Department.

Additionally, the Township reports the following non-major fund types:

The Cash Bond Agency Fund accounts for the collection of bonds and deposits and the payment to the governmental units or other persons entitled to receive these funds.

The *Tax Account Agency Fund* accounts for the collection of current and delinquent property taxes and the payment to the governmental units or other persons entitled to receive these funds.

### 3. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

Government-wide and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the grantor or provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Fund level statements include a Balance Sheet and a Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances. The Balance Sheet reports current assets, current liabilities and fund balances. The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances reports on the sources and uses of current financial resources. This differs from the economic resources measurement focus used to report at the government-wide level. Reconciliations between the two sets of statements are provided in separate statements.

Revenues are recognized when susceptible to accrual; i.e., both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the Township considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after the end of the current fiscal period. Taxes, intergovernmental revenues and interest associated with current period are all considered to susceptible to accrual and have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Property taxes levied for the subsequent fiscal year are presented as deferred revenue at fiscal year end.

Expenditures are recorded when the liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting, if they are paid within 60 days after the end of the current fiscal period. The exception to this general rule is that principal and interest on long-term debt and claims and judgments are recorded only when the payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of long-term debt are reported as other financing sources.

Private-sector standards of accounting and financial reporting issued prior to December 1, 1989, generally are followed in the government-wide and fiduciary fund financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with or contradict guidance of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Township's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted as they are needed.

### 4. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

Budgets presented in the financial statements were prepared on the same basis as the accounting basis used to reflect actual results. The General and Special Revenue Funds are subject to legal budgetary accounting controls and are budgeted annually. The Township utilizes the following procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

- The budgets are generated with input from the Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer and the Township Trustees.
- The completed budgets are then presented to Township electors at a public budget hearing in March, at which time taxpayer comments and recommendations are heard. These operating budgets include proposed expenditures and the means of financing them for the General and Special Revenue Funds.
- Prior to April 1, the budgets are legally enacted on a departmental (activity) basis through passage of an appropriations resolution.
- The budget may only be amended by action of the Township Board.
- Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for all budgetary funds.
- Budget appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end.
- The original General and Special Revenue Funds budgets were amended during the year in compliance with State of Michigan Public Act 621 (the Uniform Budgetary and Accounting Act). The budget to actual revenues and expenditures in the financial statements represent the final budget as amended by the Township.
- The legal level of budgetary control (i.e., the level at which expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations) is the fund level for each individual fund.

#### 5. Investments

Investments are recorded at fair value, based on quoted market prices, or estimated fair value. Investment income is composed of interest and net changes in the fair value of applicable investments.

#### 6. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, vehicles and furniture and equipment, are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Assets having a useful life in excess of one year and whose costs exceed \$2,500 are capitalized. Capital assets are stated at historical cost or estimated historical cost where actual cost information is not available. Donated capital assets are stated at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of an asset or materially extend an asset's useful life are not capitalized. Improvements are capitalized and depreciated over the remaining useful life of the related assets.

Land improvements, buildings and improvements, vehicles and furniture and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Land improvements	15-30 years
Buildings and improvements	25-40 years
Vehicles	5-20 years
Furniture and equipment	5-15 years

#### 7. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities on the Statement of Net Assets. Bond premiums and discounts, as well issuance costs, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds. Bonds payable are reported at the total amount of bonds issued.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuance are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuance are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as expenditures.

#### 8. Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets, net of related debt, consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition or construction of those assets. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, laws or regulations from other governments.

#### 9. Fund Equity

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for expenditures or are legally segregated for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

#### 10. Interfund Activity

Flows of cash from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as transfers in or out. Transfers between governmental funds are eliminated in the Statement of Activities. Transfers in the fund financial statements are reported as other financing sources/uses.

#### 11. Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

### Note B – Cash, Deposits and Investments

The State of Michigan allows a political subdivision to authorize its Treasurer or other chief fiscal officer to invest surplus funds belonging to and under the control of the entity as follows:

- In bonds and other direct obligations of the United States or an agency or instrumentality of the United States.
- In certificates of deposit, savings accounts, deposit accounts, or depository receipts of a bank which is a
  member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or a savings and loan association which is a member of
  the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation or a credit union which is insured by the National Credit
  Union Administration.
- In commercial paper rated at the time of purchase within the 3 highest classifications established by not less than 2 standard rating services and which matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase. Not more than 50% of any fund may be invested in commercial paper at any time.
- In United States government or federal obligation repurchase agreements.
- In bankers' acceptances of United States banks.
- In mutual funds composed of investment vehicles which are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan.
- In surplus funds investment pools.

Depositories actively used by the Township Treasurer during the year are detailed as follows:

- 1. Valley Ridge Bank
- 2. Kent County Local Government Investment Pool.

Balances at March 31, 2005 related to cash equivalents, deposits and investments are detailed on the combined balance sheet as follows:

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### **Cash Equivalents and Deposits**

Cash equivalents consist of cash on hand and bank checking accounts. Deposits consist of bank interest earning savings and money market accounts.

Cash equivalents and deposits at March 31, 2005, as shown by carrying amount and bank balance, and classified by categories of credit risk, are itemized as follows:

_	<b>Carrying Amount</b>	<b>Bank Balance</b>		
Insured – FDIC	\$ 80,922	\$ 100,000		
Uninsured: Uncollateralized (this includes any bank balance that is collateralized with securities held by the pledging bank or its trust department or				
agent but not in the Township's name.)	_	15,205		
	\$ 80,922	\$ 115,205		

#### **Investments**

The Kent County Local Government Investment Pool consists of monies advanced for investment with accounts established in the Township's name within the pool. Interest earnings from the subsequent reinvestment of the pooled funds are credited to the Township on a pro-rata basis in relation to its percentage of deposits in the pool. These investments, with fair market value which approximates cost, are not categorized because participation in such funds does not result in direct ownership of individual securities, but rather shares. However, the investments of the pool are classified as Risk Level 1 because these investments are held by the Fund or its agent in the name of the fund. Balances at March 31, 2005 are as follows:

Uninsured/Uncategorized:	
Kent County Local Government Investment Pool	\$ 367,874

### **Note C – General Property Taxes**

Property taxes for the Township and County become due and payable on December 1 of each year. School district taxes become due and payable July 1 and December 1 of each year, under a split-levy system, pursuant to the Michigan School Code of 1976. All taxes are returned delinquent March 1 of the following year.

Property tax revenues are recognized by the Township in the General and Fire Department Special Revenue Funds in the fiscal year levied, to the extent they are measurable and available. The 2004 property tax roll levied December 1, 2004, represents revenue for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2005.

The Township bills and collects its own taxes in addition to taxes for the State of Michigan, Kent County, Kent District Library, Grand Rapids Community College, Kent and Newaygo Intermediate School Districts, Grant Public Schools, Kent City Community Schools and Sparta Area Schools. The collection and remittance of taxes are accounted for in the Tax Account Agency Fund.

The Township is permitted by statute (Act 359, Public Acts of 1947, as amended by Public Acts of 1976) to levy up to 1.1 mills of general property taxes on the taxable valuation in the Township. Due to effect of the Headlee Amendment, actual tax levies were reduced to .9989 mills for 2004-05 general operations.

In addition, Township electors have authorized and the Township levied an additional .9737 mills for 2004-05 fire department operations.

The tax collection record of Township taxes for the past four years is shown in the following summary:

	2004	2003	2002	2001
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Township taxes levied	\$184,104	\$176,021	\$169,570	\$158,618
Taxes collected:				
Current to March 1	170,789	159,374	151,761	143,092
Total to March 31, 2005	170,789	174,893	169,010	158,404
Percentages of collections:				
Current to March 1	92.77%	90.54%	89.50%	90.21%
Total to March 31, 2005	92.77%	99.36%	99.67%	99.86%

Taxable property in the Township is assessed initially by the assessing official of the Township. These valuations are then equalized by the County and finally by the State of Michigan. Michigan statutes provide that all ad valorem taxes be levied upon Taxable Valuation. In accordance with Act 409, Public Acts of 1965 and Article IX, Section 3 of the Michigan Constitution, State Equalized Valuation represents 50% of true cash value. The valuations of taxable property in the Township for prior years are compared with 2005 valuations in the following summary:

Year	Real	Personal	Total
2005	¢ 02 025 220	¢ 5 700 000	¢ 00 644 020
2005	\$ 93,935,220	\$ 5,708,800	\$ 99,644,020
2004	88,138,771	5,818,327	93,957,098
2003	83,734,936	5,692,800	89,427,736
2002	78,936,459	6,205,800	85,142,259
2001	73,378,039	5,720,000	79,098,039
2000	68,893,161	4,504,700	73,397,861
1999	64,755,769	4,751,200	69,506,969
1998	61,464,718	5,682,500	67,147,218
1997	57,947,020	5,262,100	63,209,120
1996	54,050,880	5,048,395	59,099,275

### Note D – Interfund Receivables/Payables

Amounts due from (to) other funds representing interfund receivable and payable balances to correct allocations of property tax collections at March 31, 2005 are detailed as follows:

	Due From	Due To
General Fund:		
Fire Special Revenue Fund	\$ 2,893	\$ —
Tax Account Agency Fund	960	<u> </u>
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Fire Special Revenue Fund: General Fund	<u> </u>	2,893
Tax Account Agency Fund:		
General Fund	<del></del>	960
Total All Funds	\$ 3,853	\$ 3,853

### Note E – Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended March 31, 2005 was as follows:

	Balances April 1, 2004	Additions	Sales/ Retirements	Balances March 31, 2005
<b>Governmental Activities</b>				
Capital assets not depreciated:				
Land	\$ 76,200	\$ 55,357	\$ —	\$ 131,557
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Land improvements	10,000	_	_	10,000
Buildings and improvements	519,400	_	_	519,400
Furniture and equipment	81,000	35,888	_	116,888
Vehicles	103,100	29,890		132,990
Totals at historical cost	789,700	\$ 121,135	<u> </u>	910,835
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Land improvements	\$ 6,250	\$ 500	\$ —	\$ 6,750
Buildings and improvements	128,953	2,336		141,289
Furniture and equipment	44,175	5,100		49,275
Vehicles	51,736	5,101		56,836
Total accumulated	·	•		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
depreciation	231,114	\$ 23,037	<u> </u>	254,150
Net Capital Assets –				
Governmental Activities	\$ 558,586			\$ 656,685
Depreciation expense was charged to To	ownship activities a	as follows:		
General government Public safety		-	\$ 12,436 10,601	
		<u>-</u>	\$ 23,037	

### Note F – Due From Other Governmental Units

The receivable of \$32,550 in the General Fund represents 2004-05 State of Michigan sales tax collections paid to the Township subsequent to March 31, 2005.

### Note G - Changes in General Long-Term Debt

The following is a summary of general long-term debt transactions of the Township for the year ended March 31, 2005:

	Debt Outstanding	Debt	Debt	Debt Outstanding
	April 1, 2004	Added	Retired	March 31, 2005
Loan payable	\$ 32,941	\$ —	\$ 32,941	\$ —

### Note H – Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability

The following Township fund had actual expenditures exceed final budgeted expenditures for the year ended March 31, 2005, as follows:

, ,	Budget	Actual	Negative Variance
Special Revenue Fund			
Fire	\$ 81,200	\$ 134,560	\$ 53,360

### SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

### **GENERAL FUND**

To account for resources traditionally associated with governments which are not required to be accounted for in another fund.

### TYRONE TOWNSHIP General Fund Comparative Balance Sheet March 31, 2005 and 2004

Assets	 2005	 2004
Cash equivalents Deposits Investments Taxes receivable Due from other funds Due from other governmental units	\$ 3,175 44,263 309,065 8,512 3,853 32,550	\$ 2,049 94,973 340,340 9,834 7,806 28,430
Total Assets	\$ 401,418	\$ 483,432
Liabilities and Fund Balances		
Liabilities Accounts payable	\$ -	\$ 11,793
Fund Balances Unreserved: Undesignated	401,418	471,639
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 401,418	\$ 483,432

## TYRONE TOWNSHIP General Fund

## Comparative Schedule of Revenues For the years ended March 31, 2005 and 2004

	2005		2004
Taxes: Current property taxes	\$ 92,453	\$	88,265
Industrial facilities taxes	352	Ψ	93
Delinquent property taxes	-		2,114
Trailer fees	1,083		1,073
Penalties and interest on taxes	439		799
Property tax administration fees	31,105		27,581
	125,432		119,925
Licenses and permits:	,		,
Building, electrical and			
plumbing permits	43,111		29,993
Dog licenses	84		87
	43,195		30,080
Federal sources:	10,150		20,000
Vote America grant	8,000		-
State sources:			
Sales taxes	211,429		212,968
PA 48/ Metro Act	3,379		960
	214,808		213,928
Charges for services:	214,000		213,920
Zoning and appeals fees	2,050		2,450
Summer tax collection fees	14,103		4,828
Parcel split fees	1,000		400
Sale of cemetery lots	5,645		2,561
·	22,798		10,239
Fines and forfeitures:	,		•
Court ordinance fines	73		-
Interest and rentals:			
Interest on deposits and investments	6,784		7,876
Rentals	3,475		2,575
	10,259		10,451
Other revenue:	2.022		2 022
Library reimbursements Refunds of expenditures	2,923 658		2,923 414
Miscellaneous	4,812		761
Miscendieous	8,393		4,098
	_		_
Total Revenues	\$ 432,958	\$	388,721

## **General Fund**

## Comparative Schedule of Expenditures For the years ended March 31, 2005 and 2004

	2005	2004
Current:		
General government:		
Township board:	<b></b>	2.000
Salaries	\$ 3,000	3,000
Supervisor:		
Salary	18,540	
Travel and expense	344	
Education	69	
Miscellaneous		5 30
	18,959	9 18,401
Elections:		
Salaries	1,944	
Office supplies	307	
Travel and expenses	86	
Repair and maintenance	174	
Miscellaneous	608	
New equipment	8,000	
	11,119	9 299
Assessor:	26 790	26,000
Salary Office supplies	26,780 1,890	
Office supplies Travel and expense	1,890	
Travel and expense		
T 1 1 1'	28,739	9 29,852
Legal and audit:	1.07/	1 420
Legal fees	1,973	
Audit fees	10,240	
Clerk:	12,215	9,232
Salaries:		
Clerk	18,540	18,000
Deputy	104	
Office supplies	233	
Travel and expenses	4	
Dues and memberships	15	
Miscellaneous	60	
New equipment	4,109	
• •	23,100	
Board of review:		
Salaries	599	
Miscellaneous	97	
Conoral administrations	690	5 576
General administration: Clerical salaries	20.214	5 20,356
Office supplies	20,316 8,406	
	8,400 4,487	
Telephone Legal notices and publications	1,289	
Legal notices and publications	2,003	
Dues and memberships Miscellaneous	2,080	
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	38,583	1 39,152

## **General Fund**

## Comparative Schedule of Expenditures For the years ended March 31, 2005 and 2004

	2005	2004
Treasurer:		_
Salaries:	¢ 10,540	) ¢ 10,000
Treasurer	\$ 18,540	
Deputy	185	
Office supplies	4,969	
Travel and expenses	96	
Dues and memberships	50	
Miscellaneous	959	
D 1111	24,799	27,136
Buildings and grounds:		
Custodian salary	4,200	-
Travel and expenses	10	
Utilities	9,320	
Repair and maintenance	2,160	
Snow plowing	887	
Miscellaneous	614	
Land	55,357	
Building improvements	- 10 = 2	14,395
New equipment	10,734	
	83,282	2 33,706
Cemetery:		
Sexton salary	5,605	
Gasoline and oil	444	
Utilities	84	
Repair and maintenance	2,073	
Miscellaneous	326	
Land improvements	-	675
New equipment	6,713	250
	15,245	7,788
Total general government	259,741	187,674
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Public safety: Law enforcement:		
	6.621	4.210
Kent County sheriff patrol	6,631	4,219
Inspections:		
Salaries:		
Building inspector	26,093	3 26,120
Electrical inspector	8,010	
Plumbing inspector	6,700	
Office supplies	394	
Professional services	457	
Travel and expense	2,261	
Education	45	
Dues and memberships	200	
New equipment	2,995	
New equipment		
	47,155	42,887

## **General Fund**

## Comparative Schedule of Expenditures For the years ended March 31, 2005 and 2004

	2005	2004
Planning and zoning: Zoning administrator salary	687	_
Planning commission fees	1,808	462
Board of appeals fees	580	170
Contracted services Miscellaneous	338 70	1,091
Miscontineous	2,807	1,723
Total public safety	56,593	48,829
Public works:		
Highways, streets and bridges:		
Road construction	\$ 108,071	\$ 96,435
Dust layer	8,631	9,541
Street lighting:	116,702	105,976
Utilities	1,092	988
Total public works	117,794	106,964
Recreational and cultural: Library:		
Office supplies	-	207
Utilities	4,311	3,306
Repair and maintenance Miscellaneous	306 630	1,480 630
Total recreational and cultural	5,247	5,623
Other township:		
Social Security taxes	12,221	11,659
Insurance and bonds Rubbish removal	7,931 6,470	7,380 9,264
Miscellaneous	36	9,204 -
Tax refunds	3,950	27
Total other township	30,608	28,330
Debt service:		
Principal repayment	32,941	101,834
Interest expense	255	3,726
Total debt service	33,196	105,560
Total Expenditures	\$ 503,179	\$ 482,980

## SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

Fire — to account for property tax revenues and interest earnings used for fire department operations.

## TYRONE TOWNSHIP Fire Special Revenue Fund Comparative Balance Sheet March 31, 2005 and 2004

Accepto	 2005 2004			
Assets				
Cash equivalents Deposits Investments Taxes receivable	\$ 61 24,189 58,809 6,519	\$	3,662 36,527 43,104 7,968	
Total Assets	\$ 89,578	\$	91,261	
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Liabilities				
Due to other funds	\$ 2,893	\$	2,494	
Fund Balances Unreserved:				
Undesignated	86,685		88,767	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 89,578	\$	91,261	

# Fire Special Revenue Fund Comparative Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the years ended March 31, 2005 and 2004

	2005	,	2004.
Revenues			
Taxes: Current property taxes Delinquent property taxes	\$ 91,536	\$	87,252 603
Industrial facilities taxes	 343		91
Total taxes	91,879		87,946
Federal sources: FEMA grant	20,000		18,000
Fines and forfeitures: Emergency cost fines	280		580
Interest and rentals: Interest on deposits and investments	857		591
Other revenue:	10.446		
Insurance reimbursements Miscellaneous	19,446 16		-
Total other revenue	 19,462		
Total Revenues	132,478	-	107,117
Total Revenues	 132,470		107,117
Expenditures Current: Public safety: Fire department:			
Salaries:	7 276		7 602
Fire chief, assistants Firefighters	7,376 27,784		7,603 24,971
Social Security taxes	2,690		2,492
Supplies	10,969		12,945
Gas and oil	1,224		964
Physical examinations	260		120
Uniforms	1,101		-
Kent County EMS	-		375
County fire assessment	5,153		12,412
Telephone	734		730
Education	65 5 702		525
Insurance and bonds Utilities	5,702 6,057		4,815 5,073
Dues and memberships	100		201
Miscellaneous	1,809		664
New equipment	33,646		25,662
New vehicles	29,890		
Total Expenditures	134,560		99,552
Net Change in Fund Balances	(2,082)		7,565
Fund Balances, April 1	88,767		81,202
Fund Balances, March 31	\$ 86,685	\$	88,767

## **AGENCY FUNDS**

Cash Bond Agency—to account for the collection of bonds and deposits and payment to the contractors or other persons entitled to receive these funds.

*Tax Account Agency*—to account for the collection of current and delinquent property taxes, dog licenses and trailer fees and payment to the governmental units, funds or other persons entitled to receive these funds.

# TYRONE TOWNSHIP Agency Funds Combining Balance Sheet March 31, 2005 With comparative totals for March 31, 2004

						Tot	otals			
Assets	Cash Bond		A	Tax ccount	2005			2004		
Cash equivalents Deposits Accounts receivable Due from other governmental units	\$	2,829	\$	6,404 1 9,050	\$	9,233 1 - 9,050	\$	27,674 1,365 30 649		
<b>Total Assets</b>	\$	2,829	\$	15,455	\$	18,284	\$	29,718		
Liabilities and Fund Balances										
Liabilities Accounts payable Due to other funds Due to other governmental units Escrow deposits	\$	- - 2,829	\$	- 960 14,495 -	\$	960 14,495 2,829	\$	2,478 5,312 12,221 9,707		
Total Liabilities		2,829		15,455		18,284		29,718		
Fund Balances		_								
<b>Total Liabilities and Fund Balances</b>	\$	2,829	\$	15,455	\$	18,284	\$	29,718		

# All Agency Funds Combining Statement of Changes in Assets and Liabilities For the year ended March 31, 2005

Cash Bond Fund		Balances April 1, 2004		Additions		eductions		alances h 31, 2005
Assets	ф	0.707	Ф	15 100	¢.	22 000	¢.	2.020
Cash equivalents	\$	9,707	\$	15,122	\$	22,000	\$	2,829
<b>Liabilities</b> Escrow deposits	\$	9,707	\$	15,122	\$	22,000	\$	2,829
Tax Account Fund								
Assets Cash equivalents Deposits Accounts receivable Due from other governmental units	\$	17,967 1,365 30 649	\$	3,033,046 3,020,336 - 9,050	\$	3,044,609 3,021,700 30 649	\$	6,404 1 - 9,050
<b>Total Assets</b>	\$	20,011	\$	6,062,432	\$	6,066,988	\$	15,455
Liabilities Accounts payable Due to other funds Due to other governmental units  Total Liabilities	\$	2,478 5,312 12,221 20,011	\$	13,110 203,920 2,823,318 3,040,348	\$	15,588 208,272 2,821,044 3,044,904	\$	960 14,495 15,455
<b>Totals - All Agency Funds</b>								
Assets Cash equivalents Deposits Accounts receivable Due from other governmental units	\$	27,674 1,365 30 649	\$	3,048,168 3,020,336 9,050	\$	3,066,609 3,021,700 30 649	\$	9,233 1 - 9,050
<b>Total Assets</b>	\$	29,718	\$	6,077,554	\$	6,088,988	\$	18,284
Liabilities Accounts payable Due to other funds Due to other governmental units Escrow deposits	\$	2,478 5,312 12,221 9,707	\$	13,110 203,920 2,823,318 15,122	\$	15,588 208,272 2,821,044 22,000	\$	960 14,495 2,829
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	\$	29,718	\$	3,055,470	\$	3,066,904	\$	18,284

## **OTHER INFORMATION**

## TYRONE TOWNSHIP Summary of 2004 Taxes Levied and Collected For the year ended March 31, 2005

	Taxable Valuation	Rate (Mills)	Taxes Levied	Returned Delinquent	Current Collections*
Ad Valorem Taxes	v aruation	(WIIIS)	Levica	Demiquent	Concetions
<b>Kent County</b>	\$93,957,098	5.31400	\$ 492,189	\$ 35,872	\$ 456,317
Kent District Library	93,957,098	0.88000	82,774	5,940	76,834
State Education Tax Grant Public Schools Kent City Community Schools Sparta Area Schools	454,526 93,157,960 459,585	6.00000	2,727 558,941 2,758	267 29,154 343	2,460 529,787 2,415
<b>Total State Education Tax</b>			564,426	29,764	534,662
School Districts					
Kent Intermediate School District Newaygo Intermediate School District Grand Rapids Community College	93,617,545 454,526 93,617,545	4.53320 5.73060 1.78650	424,386 2,605 164,656	22,286 255 8,782	402,100 2,350 155,874
Grant Public Schools: Other Operating	454,526 29,560	7.46000 18.00000	3,391 532	333 0	3,058 532
Kent City Community Schools: Other Operating	93,157,960 19,150,993	9.25000 18.00000	861,692 344,715	53,256 15,502	808,436 329,213
Sparta Area Schools: Other Operating	459,585 26,622	7.22520 17.70840	3,321 471	413	2,908 471
<b>Total School Districts</b>			1,805,769	100,827	1,704,942
Tyrone Township Operating Fire protection Tax administration fees	93,957,098	0.99890 0.97370	92,515 91,589 30,998	6,743 6,572 1,844	85,772 85,017 29,154
Total Tyrone Township			215,102	15,159	199,943
Total Ad Valorem Taxes			\$3,160,260	\$ 187,562	\$2,972,698

## TYRONE TOWNSHIP Summary of 2004 Taxes Levied and Collected For the year ended March 31, 2005

Tax Abatements	Taxable Valuation	Rate (Mills)	Taxes Levied		Returned Delinquent		 urrent ections*
Industrial Facilities Taxes (PA 198) New	\$ 705,374						
<b>Kent County</b>		2.65700	\$	1,874	\$	-	\$ 1,874
Kent District Library		0.44000		310			310
State Education Tax Kent City Community Schools		6.00000		4,232			4,232
School Districts Kent Intermediate School District Grand Rapids Community College Kent City Community Schools: Other Operating		2.26660 0.89325 4.62500 9.00000		1,599 630 3,262 6,349			1,599 630 3,262 6,349
Tyrone Township Operating Fire protection Administration fees		0.49945 0.48685		352 344 20			352 344 20
<b>Total Industrial Facilities Taxes</b>			\$	18,972	\$		\$ 18,972

<sup>\*</sup>Current collections include ad valorem taxes collected for and distributed to the Village of Kent City Downtown Development Authority. The following amounts were withheld from the various taxing units as shown and paid to the DDA.

Kent County	\$ 7,680
Grand Rapids Community College	2,582
Tyrone Township:	
Operating	 1,444
Total DDA Capture	\$ 11,706



July 1, 2005

The Township Board Tyrone Township Kent County, Michigan

The following comments pertain to our audit of the financial records of Tyrone Township as of and for the year ended March 31, 2005. The comments are made in accordance with Statement on Auditing Standards No. 61 "Communication With Audit Committees" which requires that in certain audits, certain matters are to be communicated to those who have responsibility for oversight of the financial reporting process. The communications required by this Statement, if pertinent to the examination, are as follows:

- 1. Auditor's Responsibility Under Generally Accepted Auditing Standards.
- 2. Significant Accounting Policies.
- 3. Management Judgments and Accounting Estimates.
- 4. Significant Audit Adjustments.
- 5. Other Information in Documents Containing Audited Financial Statements.
- 6. Disagreements With Management.
- 7. Consultation With Other Accountants.
- 8. Major Issues Discussed With Management Prior to Retention.
- 9. Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit.
- 10. Uncorrected Misstatements (Passed Audit Adjustments).

The communications specified by this Statement are incidental to the audit and are not required to occur before, nor do they affect, our auditor's report on the Township's financial statements.

The following are the matters to be communicated by SAS No. 61 based on our observations during the course of our audit of the financial statements and our review and evaluation of the internal control system of Tyrone Township.

## **Auditors Responsibility Under Generally Accepted Auditing Standards**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Generally Accepted Auditing Standards (GAAS). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. We are required by GAAS to obtain a sufficient understanding of the internal control structure to plan the audit and to determine the nature, timing and extent of tests to be performed. The purpose of the audit was to report on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control structure. Because of inherent limitations in any internal control structure, errors or irregularities may occur and not be detected.

## **Significant Accounting Policies**

The elected officials and management of Tyrone Township have the responsibility for selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter will advise the Township elected officials and management about the appropriateness of accounting policies and their application. The significant accounting policies used by Tyrone Township are described in Note A of the Notes to Basic Financial Statements in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. As described in Note A, Tyrone Township changed accounting policies related to financial reporting by adopting GASB Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements – Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments in fiscal year 2004-05.

## **Difficulties Encountered In Performing The Audit**

We encountered no significant difficulties in performing our audit of the financial records of Tyrone Township. We found that the internal control structure and accounting system was adequate and operating in the manner intended. The audit field work and preparation of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report took significantly longer than usual due to the expanded requirements of Governmental Standards Board Statement No. 34, mainly for the establishment of the Township initial capital assets and depreciation schedules.

## **Significant Audit Adjustments**

During the course of our audit the following adjustments of a significant nature were made to the accounting records of the Township to bring the balances to those presented in the financial statements.

### General Fund

- 1. \$9,834 and \$8,512 to reverse and accrue prior and current year taxes receivable.
- 2. \$9,829 to classify property tax collections and receipts from the Township Tax Account Agency Fund into the correct accounts.
- 3. \$11,793 to reverse prior year end accounts payable for road construction and new equipment.
- 4. \$28,430 and \$32,550 to reverse and accrue final state revenue sharing payments receivable at year end.

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Fire Fund

1. \$7,968 and \$6,519 to reverse and accrue year end taxes receivable.

## **Passed Audit Adjustments**

There were no adjustments proposed during the audit that were not recorded by Tyrone Township.

## **Suggestions And Recommendations**

We offered suggestions and recommendations of a minor nature regarding the day-to-day operations of the accounting system to the Township Clerk and Treasurer as the topics arose during the course of our audit field work. Hopefully, these suggestions will ease the day-to-day operations of the Township's business office and assist in more efficient monthly and year end financial record keeping and reporting.

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This communication is intended solely for the information and use of the Township Board, officers, administration and others within the organization. We have furnished a copy of this letter to the Michigan Department of Treasury as an enclosure with the audit report as required by the State of Michigan.

We appreciate the opportunity to provide financial auditing and advisory services to Tyrone Township and hope to continue to do so in the future. We also appreciate the dedication and cooperation of Tyrone Township Clerk and Treasurer in performing their functions and in assisting us in completing ours. If there are any questions regarding the audit report, or the attached communication, we will be happy to address them.

Certified Public Accountants

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